

173.2
So/FLa

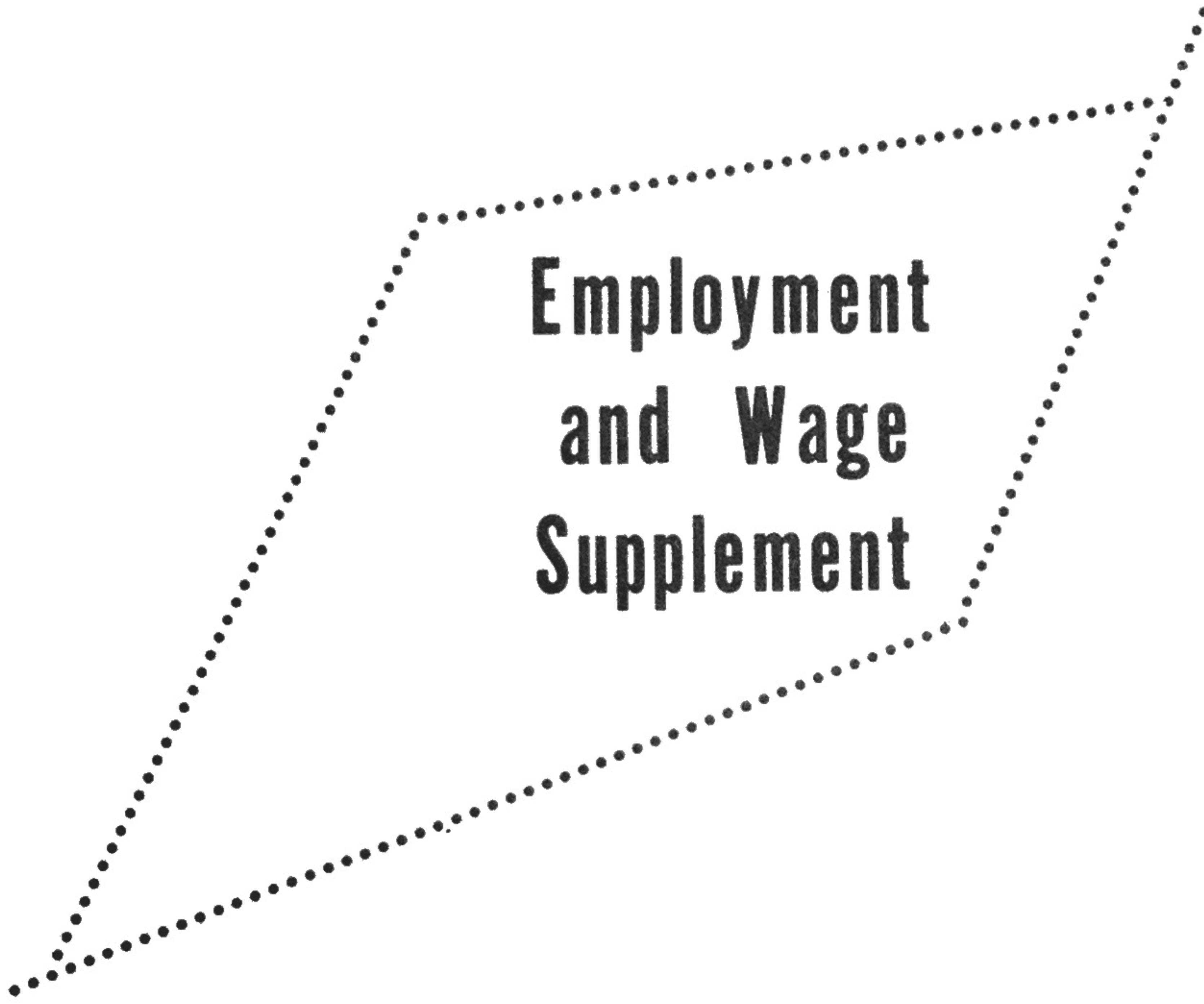
January 1963

U. S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE
NATIONAL AGRICULTURAL LIBRARY

MAR 21 1963

CURRENT SERIAL RECORDS

Farm Labor Market Developments



**Employment
and Wage
Supplement**

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary

BUREAU OF EMPLOYMENT SECURITY

Robert C. Goodwin, Administrator

Washington 25, D.C.

Appendix A - Estimated Employment and Origin of Seasonal Hired Agricultural Workers,
by State and Selected Agricultural Reporting Area 1/
December 1-15, 1962

Region, State, and agricultural reporting area	Total	U. S. Workers				Contract Puerto Ricans 2/	Foreign			
		Total U. S. workers	Local	Intra- state	Inter- state		Total foreign	Mexican	BWI	Canadian & others
<u>U. S. Totals</u>	314,397	271,611	228,268	24,406	18,937	190	42,786	29,189	12,407	1,190
<u>Eastern Seaboard</u>	71,076	58,669	45,651	2,821	10,197	190	12,407	0	12,407	0
<u>Connecticut</u>	4,020	3,510	3,390	0	120	90	510	0	510	0
<u>Florida</u>	<u>56,697</u>	<u>44,868</u>	<u>32,795</u>	<u>2,771</u>	<u>9,302</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>11,829</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>11,829</u>	<u>0</u>
Lake Okeechobee	22,399	15,118	9,587	916	4,615	0	7,281	0	7,281	0
Central Ridge	18,658	15,172	12,799	110	2,263	0	3,486	0	3,486	0
Tampa Bay	4,771	4,010	3,472	0	538	100	761	0	761	0
Other areas	10,869	10,568	6,937	1,745	1,886	0	301	0	301	0
<u>Massachusetts</u>	1,034	966	966	0	0	0	68	0	68	0
<u>New York</u>	1,200	1,200	400	50	750	0	0	0	0	0
<u>North Carolina</u>	<u>7,275</u>	<u>7,275</u>	<u>7,250</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Elizabeth City	2,750	2,750	2,725	0	25	0	0	0	0	0
Greenville	525	525	525	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Olive	4,000	4,000	4,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>South Carolina</u>	850	850	850	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

1
2
1

Region, State, and agricultural reporting area	Total	U. S. Workers					Foreign			
		Total U. S. workers	Local	Intra- state	Inter- state	Contract Puerto Ricans 2/	Total foreign	Mexican	BWI	Canadian & others
<u>South Central</u>	125,727	115,124	101,961	10,368	2,795	0	10,603	10,603	0	0
<u>Arkansas</u>	950	950	950	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Louisiana</u>	<u>4,575</u>	<u>4,575</u>	<u>3,880</u>	<u>225</u>	<u>470</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Delta Cotton	75	75	75	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Strawberry	1,300	1,300	1,300	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	3,200	3,200	2,505	225	470	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Mississippi</u>	397	397	199	198	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Oklahoma</u>	<u>9,575</u>	<u>9,575</u>	<u>7,735</u>	<u>230</u>	<u>1,610</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Southwestern	4,600	4,600	3,125	105	1,370	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	4,975	4,975	4,610	125	240	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Texas</u>	<u>110,230</u>	<u>99,627</u>	<u>89,197</u>	<u>9,715</u>	<u>715</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>10,603</u>	<u>10,603</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Llano-Coastal	2,440	2,433	2,433	0	0	0	7	7	0	0
Rio Grande Plains	15,520	15,055	15,055	0	0	0	465	465	0	0
Coastal Bend	1,620	1,620	1,620	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lower Rio Grande Valley	23,280	22,975	22,935	0	40	0	305	305	0	0
Trans-Pecos	2,065	940	940	0	0	0	1,125	1,125	0	0
Edwards Plateau	16,425	14,477	12,512	1,965	0	0	1,948	1,948	0	0
Northern Panhandle	2,285	2,177	1,852	325	0	0	108	108	0	0
High Rolling Plains	38,895	32,255	24,155	7,425	675	0	6,640	6,640	0	0
Cross Timbers	1,505	1,500	1,500	0	0	0	5	5	0	0
Central Texas	2,550	2,550	2,550	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
East Texas	3,165	3,165	3,165	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	480	480	480	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Region, State, and agricultural reporting area	Total	U. S. Workers					Foreign			
		Total U. S. workers	Local	Intra- state	Inter- state	Contract Puerto Ricans 2/	Total foreign	Mexican	BWI	Canadian & others
<u>Western</u>	117,594	97,818	80,656	11,217	5,945	0	19,776	18,586	0	1,190 3/
<u>Arizona</u>	22,715	16,639	13,708	1,360	1,571	0	6,076	6,076	0	0
Maricopa	13,255	9,885	8,790	305	790	0	3,370	3,370	0	0
Yuma	4,840	2,290	1,070	750	470	0	2,550	2,550	0	0
Cochise	480	474	325	125	24	0	6	6	0	0
Other areas	4,140	3,990	3,523	180	287	0	150	150	0	0
<u>California</u>	91,100	77,700	64,050	9,650	4,000	0	13,400	12,210	0	1,190
Desert	11,800	5,400	4,000	900	500	0	6,400	6,170	0	230
South Coast	18,000	12,950	10,550	1,300	1,100	0	5,050	4,170	0	880
Central Coast	8,600	6,650	4,950	1,350	350	0	1,950	1,870	0	80
North Coast	2,600	2,600	1,900	550	150	0	0	0	0	0
San Joaquin Valley	42,400	42,400	37,250	3,650	1,500	0	0	0	0	0
Sacramento Valley	7,700	7,700	5,400	1,900	400	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Montana</u>	1,312	1,312	980	169	163	0	0	0	0	0
So. Sugar Beet	275	275	175	35	65	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	1,037	1,037	805	134	98	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Nevada</u>	116	116	28	5	83	0	0	0	0	0
<u>New Mexico</u>	1,351	1,051	915	33	103	0	300	300	0	0
Hobbs	418	330	220	10	100	0	88	88	0	0
Las Cruces	133	85	77	5	3	0	48	48	0	0
Roswell	327	299	299	0	0	0	28	28	0	0
Other areas	473	337	319	18	0	0	136	136	0	0

Region, State, and agricultural reporting area	U. S. Workers						Foreign			
	Total	Total U. S. workers	Local	Intra- state	Inter- state	Contract Puerto Ricans 2/	Total foreign	Mexican	BWI	Canadian & others
Washington	1,000	1,000	975	0	25	0	0	0	0	0
South Central	1,000	1,000	975	0	25	0	0	0	0	0

1/ Agricultural areas selected for inclusion are those areas in which a peak of at least 10,000 seasonal hired workers or 1,000 foreign workers was reached in 1961 as reported in In-Season Farm Labor Reports, ES-223. Data for each area satisfying these criteria are presented monthly in this appendix. However, areas are omitted during months for which they are not required to submit ES-223 reports. Such reports are not required for periods in which fewer than 500 seasonal hired farm workers are employed unless higher employment will be resumed after a "lay-by" period, foreign workers are employed, or specified shortages or surpluses of seasonal hired farm workers exist. Figures are preliminary and subject to revision.

2/ The number of contract Puerto Rican workers is a subtotal of interstate migrant workers.

3/ Japanese, 1,070; Filipinos 120.